

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:	Palese et al.	Confirmation No.:	3723
Serial No.:	10/713,732	Art Unit:	1648
Filed:	November 14, 2003	Examiner:	Blumel, Benjamin P.
For:	ATTENUATED NEGATIVE STRAND VIRUSES WITH ALTERED INTERFERON ANTAGONIST ACTIVITY FOR USE AS VACCINES AND PHARMACEUTICALS	Attorney Docket No:	6923-118

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated May 15, 2007 be extended for a period of three (3) month(s) from September 15, 2007 to and including November 15, 2007.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$525.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: November 14, 2007

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